## HOUSE BILL 2431 By Bunch

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 14, relative to special elections.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-14-202(a), is amended by deleting subsection (a) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

If twelve (12) months or more remain prior to the next regular election for members of the general assembly, within thirty (30) days of such vacancy occurring, the governor shall, by writs of election, order a special election to fill such vacancy.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.